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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Application Number	09/930,914
Filing Date	August 15, 2001
First Named Inventor	Yoshihiro Yamaguchi
Group Art Unit	2128
Examiner Name	Fred O. Ferris, III
Attorney Docket Number	22837-06289

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-entitled application.

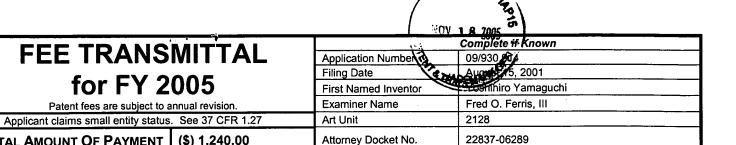
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

	i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on								
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	iii.	☐ Other							
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	iii.	☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)							
	iv.	☐ Other							
2. Miscellaneous									
6	a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)								
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3.	Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.								
- 2	a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments,								
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METHOD OF PAYME	FEE CALCULATION (continued)						
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Deposit Account Number 19-2555		Large Entity Small E		Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
Deposit Account Name	Fenwick & West LLP	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)			130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath or declaration	
Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments			50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	-
under 37 CFR §1.16 or §	i) or any underpayment of fee(s) due 1.17 during the pendency of this	1053 1812	130 2,520	1053	130 2,520	Non-English specification For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
"application Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to			920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
the above-identified deposit account.			1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION			120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE		1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	450.00
Large Entity Small Entity		1253	1020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
Fee Fee Fee	Fee Description Fee Paid	1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
Code (\$) Code (\$)		1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
		1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
		1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
		1403	1000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing	
		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
		1452	500	2452	250	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
SUBTO		1453	1,500	2453	750	Petition to revive - unintentional	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,400	2501	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Extr	a Claims Fee from Fee Paid below Fee Paid	1502	800	2502	400	Design issue fee	
Total Claims -20**=	x=	1503	1100	2503	550	Plant issue fee	
Independent Claims -3** =	x =	1460		1460		Petitions to the Director	
Multiple Dependent	=	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee for Provisional Applications	
Large Entity Small Entity		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Fee Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1202 50 2202 25	Claims in excess of 20	1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1201 200 2201 100	Independent claims in excess of 3	1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1203 360 2203 180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	790.00
1204 200 2204 100	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
1205 50 2205 25	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	Other fee (specify)					
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